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SUBJECT: REQUEST FOR FUNDING FOR SECURITY IMPROVEMENTS AT
AMEMBASSY TOKYO

REF: STATE 263172

1. PRIOR TO TERRORIST ATTACKS ON EMBASSY TOKYO AND
CONSULATE FUKUOKA, POST HAD REEXAMINED SECURITY POSTURE
AND DECIDED SOME IMPROVEMENTS NECESSARY. HOWEVER,
SUBMISSION OF REQUEST FOR FUNDING WAS DELAYED BY RECENT
VIP VISITS. TWO RECENT ATTACKS EMPHASIZED THAT
FOLLOWING ARE NECESSARY:

A. REDESIGN ANNEX LOBBY INCLUDING CONSTRUCTION OF NEW
MARINE GUARD DESK TO ALLOW FOR TIGHTER PACKAGE AND
ACCESS CONTROLS, COST DOLS. 590.

B. INCREASE LOCAL GUARD COVERNAGE AT DCM'S RESIDENCE
FROM PRESENT 9 HOURS A DAY TO 24 HOURS A DAY AND ADD
ONE ADDITIONAL 24 HOUR A DAY LOCAL GUARD AT MITSUI
HOUSING COMPOUND - COST PER ANNUM DOLS 38,016.

C. PURCHASE TWO DETEX WATCHCLOCKS WITH ACCESSORIES
FOR USE BY NEWLY ESTABLISHED LOCAL GUARD POSITIONS,
COST DOLS 652.

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D. INSTALL NEW GUARD HOUSE AT MITSUI HOUSING COMPOUND -
COST DOLS 524.

E. REINFORCE REAR BASEMENT DOOR OF ANNEX, COST DOLS
200.

F. PROCURE KEY CONTROL BOX FOR USE BY MARINE GUARD
IN ANNEX BUILDING -COST DOLS 150.

G. PROCURE ONE ADDITIONAL PAGING DEVICE FOR USE BY
RSO, UNIT COST DOLS 35 PLUS ANNUAL SERVICE CHARGE DOLS
80.

H. INSTALL SECONDARY ALARMS IN BOTH ANNEX AND TOB
TO ALLOW FOR SEPARTE WARNING IN CASE OF ATTACK.
COST DOLS 1200. DURING RECENT ATTACK ON CHANCERY,
FIRE ALARM ACTIVATED. SOME PERSONNEL RESPONDED
CORRECTLY TO ALARM BY ATTEMPTING TO EVACUATE BUILDING.
WHEN THEY REACHED LOBBY THEY REALIZED ATTACK IN
PROCESS. SECONDARY ALARM SYSTEM WOULD ALLOW FOR
DISTINCTIVE SOUND INDICATING NECESSITY TO SECURE
CLASSIFIED AND STANDFAST IN OFFICE.

2. FY 1975 COSTS DOLS 3431 FOR CONSTRUCTION AND
PURCHASED, DOLS 20,600 FOR LOCAL GUARD SERVICE FROM
12/16/74, TOTAL DOLS 24,031.

3. FY 1976 COSTS ESTIMATED DOLS 3,200 RPT 3,200
PER MONTH.
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